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NEXT REUNION IN 2011

Matthew Link of Richmond Hill, Ga., has joined the orthopaedic department at Fort Stewart Army Hospital.

Richard McAdams is a writer for The Heritage Foundation in Washington, D.C.

BIRTHS: Morgan and **Megan Palmer Camp**, a daughter, Grace Caroline, April 26. They have moved to Raleigh, N.C., where Morgan is a radiologist at Duke-Raleigh Hospital.

Erik '02 and **Heather Townes Madsen**, a daughter, Claire Frances, March 16. Erik recently completed the M.D./Ph.D. program at Washington University in St. Louis (Mo.), earning a Ph.D. in molecular cell biology. He has begun a residency in pediatrics at Children's Hospital in Boston. Erik Ching and **Cathy Stevens**, a daughter, Halle Cathryn Mikel, February 3, Greenville. Erik is a history professor at Furman, where Cathy is coordinator of the Riley Institute's Center for Education Policy and Leadership.

Jonathan and **Katherine Hawkins Watts**, a daughter, Lydia, July 15, Dallas, Texas.

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Rudy Currence of Rock Hill, S.C., a Disturbing Tha Peace Records artist, visited more than 40 colleges in 15 states during his 2010 spring college tour leading to the release of his album "Black Keys and Blue Skies." Visit www.rudycurrenceonline.com.

Kristin Guilliams has become chief resident of pediatric neurology at Washington University (St. Louis Children's Hospital) in Missouri.

Becky Simonds McSwain of Bradenton, Fla., has been named one of the top volunteers in the country by Northwestern Mutual for her dedication to Young Life of Manatee County. A \$10,000 grant was given to the organization on her behalf from the Northwestern Mutual Foundation



NEW CAREER PATH?

WHEN A FURMAN STUDY AWAY GROUP making a stop in Donegal, Ireland, came across this storefront this fall, they did a double take. Had the university's recently retired president decided to chuck his plans, move overseas and open a medical clinic, where he would dispense wisdom and engage patients in everything from acupuncture to massage? The notion seemed far-fetched, and yet the name was the same. Perhaps more telling, the building and sign were green — and wasn't Shi all about sustainability?

Upon further inspection, however, the group discovered that the clinic's proprietor had no Furman connection. And additional legwork on this side of the Atlantic uncovered a number of David Shi sightings, confirming that he has remained in the States to retool, write, and prepare to teach again.

as part of the company's Community Service Award program. She is a Northwestern representative with The Teague Financial Group.

April Neslund Mucci recently became program coordinator for Leadership Polk, a county-wide program in central Florida. She lives in Lakeland.

Josh Patterson received his Ph.D. in educational administration from the University of South Carolina in August.

His dissertation focused on the literacy learning experiences of boys in single-gender classrooms.

MARRIAGES: **Michelle Muro** and Andrew Heck, May 29. They live in Greenville.

Jennifer Willis and Jon Girard, April 17. They live in Alexandria, Va.

BIRTHS: David and **Erin Lyttle Do**, a daughter, Claire Elise, July 3. They live in Antioch, Tenn.

Brock and **Carace Parmley MacKay**, a son, Finley MacNeil, August 5, Fort Thomas, Ky. Brock is a landscape architect with Viox & Viox, Inc., and Carace is a pediatrician with Pediatric Associates of Northern Kentucky.

Doug and **Mary Teal Mitchell '07 O'Neal**, a daughter, Lucy Mae, March 11, Greenville.

Beau and **Hilary Eldred Seagraves**, a son, Robert "Burke" Seagraves III, August 6, 2009, Athens, Ga.

Matt '03 and **Molly Stokes Staab**, a daughter, Lillian Belle, November 20, 2009, Greenville.

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Mindy Jones has joined the National Council on Aging in Washington, D.C., as community and new media manager. NCOA is the leading non-profit services and advocacy organization for older Americans.

Holly Chudalski Sharp is direct ministry representative with Young Life in Greenville.

MARRIAGES: **Maggie Battcher** and Jason Hollis, June 5. They live in Roberta, Ga. Maggie is band director at Crawford County Middle and High School, and Jason is a LAN support specialist at the home office of Georgia Farm Bureau.

Kathryn Paige Harden and Elliot Max Tucker-Drob, June 19. They are assistant professors of psychology at the University of Texas.

Elizabeth Ashmore Snipes and Weston Bradley Rochester, May 22. They live in Springfield, Mo., where she is an assistant professor of art at Missouri State University and he is an attorney.

BIRTHS: **Jonathan** and **Kelley Fitzgerald Caskey**, twin sons, Rhys Fitzgerald and Owen William, February 12, Spartanburg, S.C.

Lloyd and **Emily Flores**, a daughter, Elyse Jensine, June 7. They live in Irmo, S.C.